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VIA ECF AND EMAIL

The Honorable Katherine Polk Failla
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square, Room 2103
New York, NY 10007

Re: SEC v. Sanjay Valvani and Gordon Johnston 16 Civ. 4512 (KPF)

Dear Judge Failla:

We represent the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") in the above captioned matter and write to extend the deadline to provide the Court with a report regarding the status of this case to November 14, 2016. In a court conference held on August 11, 2016, Commission counsel indicated that it would provide a status report in sixty days. To provide additional time for the Commission to complete its deliberative process, however, we request an extension until November 14, 2016. Neither defendant objects to this request.

We are available to answer any questions or address any concerns you may have.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles D. Riely", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Charles D. Riely
Jason W. Sunshine

cc: Barry H. Berke, Counsel to Sanjay Valvani (via email)
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